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Washington News and Gossip. INTERNAL REVENUE .- The receipts from this

source to-day were \$311,101.60. CAPT. O. E. DUPPY, of Maryland has been appointed second assistant examiner in the

Patent office in the class of steam engines. COMMODORE VANDERBILT denies the repor that he consents to the rates fixed by the new postal act.

AT THE KING LITERARY REUNION to-night Hon. R. C. McCormick, of Arizona, will read a paper on "Eccentric and Humorous Charities." THE NOMINATION of General W. H. H. Ter-

rell, to be pension agent at Indianapolis, leaves a vacancy in the office of Third Assistant Postmaster General, which General T. at present HON. MONTGOMERY BLAIR says that portion of the special dispatch to the Missouri Democrat.

alleging that a memorial to the Senate, asking an investigation into the charges against Sena-tor Bogy had been sent to him, is untrue. THE WHITE HOUSE was overrun with visitors to-day. Senators Alcorn, Clayton, Stewart, Ferry, (Mich.,) Gilbert, Deunis, Boreman,

Morrill, (Maine,) Carpenter, Ramsey and Spencer saw the President. THE OUTSTANDING LEGAL-TENDER CIRCULA-TION at the close of business hours to-day was \$357,155,000. The maximum limit of the circulation is \$400,000,000, and the minimum

THE SOUTHERN CLAIMS COMMISSION yesterday heard the claim of Thomas R. Rixey, of Culpeper Court House, Va., amounting to \$26 600. Mr. Rixey said he did not know on which side his sympathies were in relation to

the late war. REV. DR. J. P. NEWMAN has been appointed inspector of consulate abroad. As the law providing for such service expires June 20th next, it is presumed that his appointment will expire at that time. When Mr. Keim held a similar position he received a salary of \$5,000 and ex-

PERSONAL .-- Mr. John S. Delano, chief clerk of the Interior department, was well enough to ride out yesterday. ... The health of Mr. W. W. Corcoran is improving. ....John Eaton, Jr., Commissioner of Education, has recovered from his recent indisposition and is again on duty. Representatives Brooks is still in Washington, and seems to to be slowly recover-

IN THE SENATE, yesterday, after our report closed, debate upon the Caldwell case was continued, and Mr. Scott concluded his argument in opposition to the resolution declaring the seat vacant. Messrs. Morrill, of Vermont, and Schurz that the Senate was fully authorized to protect itself against the reception of unworthy members. Pending debate the Senate went into executive session, and at its close adjourned until

THE FOLLOWING PROMOTIONS have been made in the office of internal revenue, as the class-James H. Eihott, Charles F. Lewis, Jane M. Leavey, S. L. Stephenson, Samuel H. Good-man. To third class—E. M. Truell, Montague Moses, M. Durvall, O. C. Brown, J. S. Hol-lingshead, Spencer A. Coe, Mary R. Raymond, P. C. Hyam, James Dubois. To second class— Navette Draper, Laura D. Ralston, Henrietta Cowperthwait, Jane W. Little, George Jessup, E. A. McCully, B. H. Collins, W. A. Stratton, Annie E. Adams, Eugene L. Grant. Annie E. Adams, Eugene L. Grant.

SENATE CONFIRMATIONS .- The Senate yesterday confirmed the following nominations: Samuel Plummer, to be United States marshal for New Jersey; David B. Parker, to be mar-shal of the eastern district of Virginia; Ephraim Brown, of Massachusetts, to be consul at Paso del Norte; Frank W. Potter, of New Jersey, to be consul at Marseilles; William A. Arnold, to be receiver of public moneys at Central City, Colorado; Franklin B. Stephenson, to be assistant surgeon in the navy; Francis M. Ashton, to be second assistant engineer in the navy also, the nominations of a number of post-

DESTRUCTION OF DIES AND PLATES .- This morning, a committee appointed by the Acting Secretary of the Treasury, and consisting of Senator Bayard, Delegate N. P. Chipman, Mr. S. E. Middleton, a banker of this city, Mr. S. Guthrie, of the treasurer's office, Mr. W. P. Titcomb, of the register's office, Mr. E. R. Chapman, chief of the stamp division internal revenue office, and Parley Hammond, castedian of dies for the Secretary of the Treasury proceeded to the navy yard, where they super-intended the melting, in a large furnace, of a number of worn-out dies and plates formerly used in the printing of stamps and national bank notes. The plates were taken to the navy-yard in a four-horse wagon, and weighed between four and five tons.

MRS. JANE P. THURSTON, "Proprietor of the United States and Kingdom of Great Britain and Colonies," has the government in a tight place. It seems that this somewhat eccentric lady went up to the White House to tender to President Grant "the deed of gift of the United States to him as trustee for the people thereof:" and some joker she met up there proposed, in behalf of the President, to accept the trust, if she would pay the expenses of the government for the year. This she agreed to do, and she now demands the revenue of the government for the year specified to enable her to carry out her agreement. This is rather turning the joke on the party of the first part, whoever he was. Mrs. T. is evidently not so crazy as she might be. Anyhow, she is on the sharp lookout for the man who assumed to speak for the President in the trust deed matter. and Colonies," has the government in a tight

REPORTED CHARGES AGAINST SENATOR ASSERLY .- It is reported that charges are to be preferred against Senator Casserly, of Caiifornia, implicating him in alleged corruptions connected with his election to the United States Senate. Soon after the election, Mr. Voiney E. Howard, a competitor of Mr. Casserly in the senatorial contest, published a pamphlet entitled "A Comedy in Three Acts," which contailed "A Comedy in Three Acts," which contained serious allegations against certain members of the Legislature who "voted for Casserly in consideration of so much coin in hand paid." The opponents of Mr. Casserly charge that his election cost the Bank of California \$175,000. Colonel W. H. L. Barnes, formerly Casserly's law partner, is said to have managed the business, or rather to have acted as a go-between for the bank and the members of the Legislature.

SECRETARY BOUTWELL is very reticent in says his taking his seat in the Senate on Monday next will depend upon circumstances, from which many infer that the question as to who shall be his successor is not yet definitely settled. Among the theories advanced is one to the effect that the President recognizes the Justness of the claim of New York city that she is entitled, as the great commercial center of the country, to the appointment of a Scoretary of the Treasury; that Mr. Boutwell will not take his seat in the Senate this session; that he will resign as soon as the Senate adjourns; that the President will then appoint Judge Richardson Secretary ad interim; that Judge R. will resign that position when Congress meets next winter; and that the President will recognize the claim of New York, and appoint ex-Governor Morgan, John J. Cisco, or some other prominent New Yorker, to the Secretaryship. There are many who believe this to be the intention of the President. Judge Richardson is now Acting Secretary, although the Secretary spends most of his time at his desk in the department. says his taking his seat in the Senate on Mon-

DEATH OF BISHOP McILVAINZ.—A despatch from Cincinnati says that information has been received there of the death of the venerable and distinguishen Bishop McIlvaine, at Florence, Italy. The Right Reverend Chas. P. McIlvaine was next to the oldest of the bishops of the Episcopal church in the United States, and was eminent for his mental ability and profound learning, not less than for his piety. He was consecrated in 1842, and has thus been in the exercise of his sacred office for more than forty years. GENERAL FREMONT'S DEFENCE.—The N. Y. Times publishes to day a communication from General Fremont defending himself from the charge of fraud or connivance at fraud in connection with the Memphis, El Paso and Pacific railroad. The general states that the transactions alleged to be fraudulent took place before he became president of the road.

Art Notes.

Mr. W. H. Rinchart, the distinguished Amercan sculptor, is in the city engaged in modeling a bust of Mr. W. W. Corcoran. This he will reproduce in marble on his return to Rome, whither he goes in a few weeks, taking with him, we are pleased to learn, quite a number of commissions. Mr. Rinehart's ideal statue of Clytie, which has been on exhibition in Baltimore for some time, and which is regarded by many good judges as one of the best pieces of sculpture produced in modern times, has re-cently been purchased by a gentleman of that city, who intends to present it to the Peabody Institute. During his visit here Mr. Rinehart is staying with his friend, Mr. McGuire, on E

- We hear that a sale of pictures by several,

f not all, of our local artists will shortly be

held at the auction rooms of Messrs. Latimer &

Cleary. It is understood that Poole, Weyl and furner will each contribute some of their best examples, and it is likely that nearly all the others will have something ready in time, including Mr. Howard Morton, who, by the way, has several nice bits now on view at Lamb's. - Since his late sale, the walls of Barlow' gallery look comparatively bare, but it will not be a very long time, he assures us, until they shall be made even more attractive than ever. shall be made even more attractive than ever. The most notable things to be seen there just now are Moran's striking water color drawing of the hot springs on Gardner's river,—a characteristic type of Yellowstone scenery,—and Mrs. Greatorex's exquisite pen and ink sketches. The first named is so surprising and peculiar in itseffect as to attract constant attention without the aid of newspaper notice; but the latter are so modest and unpretending in character and surroundings that they might easily be overlooked by the general observer unless inspection be particularly invited. We feel. spection be particularly invited. We feel, therefore, that we are doing a favor, alike to the public and the artist, in asking connoisseurs and lovers of the beautiful to give them an examination. Meritorious as they all are in their way, many of them have the added value of representing in the most accurate representing in the most accurate manner, ye with a poetically artistic treatment, scenes and objects that are fast passing away.

-Max Weyl's beautiful view on Rock Creek lately at Markriter's, has been added to the McGuire collection, where it is, as it deserves to be, in most excellent company. The hiatus thus caused at Markriter's has been properly filled, however, by another picture by the same artist—a peep at Lost River, in West Virginia,—which has many of the best points that characterised the Rock Creek landscape. Mr. Weyl is yow at work we may add on view well. is now at work, we may add, on a view on the Potomac. above the aqueduct bridge, which promises to be not only a faithful portrait but a very attractive picture, artistically considered.

-Mr. Ulke has just finished a portrait of Mr. Simon Wolf that is a most striking likeness He is at present hard at work on the series of portraits for the War Department, and will soon ommence on the one of Hon. Charles Sumper. which he has been commissioned to paint for

-Among the efforts of the artists in the Association Building in New York lately exhibed in the gallery there none seemed to attract more attention or more favorable criticism than a picture of this city, painted by Mr. L. M. Wiles. Careful studies for this picture were made by Mr. Wiles from the tower at the Soldier's Home and other avorable points of view nearly two years ago, and the beginnings of it which we saw last fall promised a great success, which we judge from the tone of the New York papers has been fully realized. We trust this picture will some time be placed on exhibition here, where its merits can be proper ly appreciated; and indeed it ought to be kep-here, either on the walls of the Corcoran galler or on those of some of our wealthy men of taste.

- Mr. H. K. Browne, the eminent sculptor, has been commissioned by the state of New Jersey to make the statues of Gov. Stockton and Gen. Kearney, which are to be her contri-butions to the hall of sculpture in the Capitol. Mr. Browne, it will be remembered, was also chosen by New York to perform the same ome studio at Newburg on the statues for that state - Judges and lovers of art entertain mixed feelings towards the Congress that has just gone out: a sense of relief and thankfulness that the mechanical Carpenter Emancipation Procla mation picture was not purchased, tempered by a feeling of disappointment and regret that Powell's waste of canvas on Perry's Victory was not ordered to be burned. The artistic sitnation at the Capitol ought to be a great deal better than it is, but then it might be a great leal worse; and that things haven't reached th lowest depths is something to be grateful for

INCENDIARY FIRE AND ROBBERY-Heavy Loss of Recenue Stamps .- Early yesterday morning a fire broke out in the office of the United States collector of internal revenue in Kansas City and immediately afterward fire was discovered in the Union German savings bank, in the front part of the same building. Both fires were promptly extinguished, when it was found that promptly extinguished, when it was found that the books and papers and from \$25,000 to \$30,000 worth of revenue stamps in the collector's office had been so badly damaged as to be valueless. The bank vault was open, and had been robbed of about \$7,000. The papers in the vault were burning. The lock of the bank was a combination, and had been unlocked, not broken open. It is expected some startling revelations will be made in connection with these occurrences!

END OF THE GUBERNATIONAL WAR IN NEVADA.—In compliance with an order of Governor Bradley, of Nevada, General Von Bokelen, with sixty militia and one field-pereported at Carson yesterday, and was ordered by the Governor to dispossess Lieutenant Governor Dever, and to install the newly-appointed warden of the state prison, and to use force, if necessary. A copy of the Governor's order was sent to the state prison, with a demand for an immediate surrender, which had the effect to cause the capitulation of the Lieutenant Governor, who said he yielded to military necessity and superior force. and superior force. The new warden was then placed in possession. There is a strong pro-bability that Governor Bradley will call an extra session of the Legislature for the purpose of impeaching the Lieutenant Governor.

THE BRITISH CABINET CRISIS .- The London press appears to know very little of what is go-ing on at Buckingham palace. The Pall Mall Gazette says that Disraeli told the Queen he was not prepared to form a cabinet, and that paper is confident that Gladstone will be recalled to the head of the government. All is said to be speculative, and nothing can be determined until Lords Derby and Cairns reach London to-day. A dispatch to the New York World says that Earl Derby is trying to form a cabinet, with himself as premier, and Disraeli cabinet, with himself as premier, and Disraeli as chancellor of the exchequer, but his success is thought doubtful. If he fails Lord Granville's scratched cabinet will come in, and end with an appeal to the country.

ELECTION OF RAILROAD OFFICERS.—At the triennial meeting of the stockholders of the Northern Pacific railroad company, held in New York recently, the following directors were chosen for three years:—George W. Cass, Wm. B. Ogden, R. B. Rice, Wm. G. Moorhead. J. Gregory Smith, Frederick Billings, Charles B. Wright, Wm. G. Fargo, B. P. Cheney, A. H. Barney, Wm. Windom, Jas. Stenson, and A. L. Cattlin. The directors have elected the following officers:—George W. Cass, president; C. B. Wright, vice president; R. D. Rice, resident vice president on the Pacific coast; A. L. Prichard, treasurer; and Samuel Wilkeson, secretary.

A BLASPHEMER FINED FIFTY DOLLARS.—
In the criminal court yesterday, John Lucas, residing in Comet street, indicted for uttering divers scandalous, profane, blasphemous, indecent and obscene expressions in Comet street, in gross and open violation of religion, decency and morality, was tried and convicted. Judge Gilmor said it was in proof that the accused was in the habit of using language of the most foul and obscene description in the public streets, and he should fine him \$50 and costs. The party was committed.—Baltimore Sun, 15th.

ANOTHER LEGISLATIVE VOTE OF CENSURE The Ohio senate vesterday, after a long discussion, adopted the house joint resolution censuring the Ohio members of Congress who voted for the retroactive salary bill, after an amendment including in the censure the members who voted against the bill but took the extra pay. THE NEW HAMPSHIRE ELECTION .- The re

turns of the vote from the last town in the 2d congressional district increases Pike's majority to 19. Additional returns on the vote for Governor show a larger scattering vote than has been reported, and a choice by the people is considered doubtful. No Hope for the Car-Hook Murderen.— The private secretary of Governor Dix an-nounced to the sheriff of New York yesterday that the governor had written a letter to Rev. Dr. Tyng, saying public safety and justice de-mand the execution of Foster. Deputy sheriffs are now euarding him in the Tombs? TELEGRAMS TO THE STAR. This Afternoon's Dispatches. ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORTS.

THE SITUATION IN ENGLAND.

London, March 14.—A general rumor prevails in London that Disraeli has refused the premiership, but it is believed to be incorrect. The facts simply are that Disraeli has respectfully indicated to the Queen the difficulties he would have to confront if he assumed office, even if able to secure the aid of supporters considering the parliamentary position of his opponents. To-night Lord Derby arrived from Paris and had a long consultation with Disraeli. No decision was arrived at, however, nor will be till to-morrow. It is possible that Disraeli will refuse to accept office, but it is not probable. If he accepts he will probably finish up the business of the session by the end of June and then dissolve the House. The conservatives all over the country are confident as to the result of the elections. to the result of the elections.

The Earl of Derby the Coming Man.
London, March 15.—The Weekly Economist
in its issue this morining says a rumor was current last night that the Earl of Derby had
yielded to the request of the conservatives and
would undertake the task of forming a new cabinet. The Spectator, also a weekly paper, reports that the Earl of Derby will take the Premiership, but says he has determined to appeal to the country. The London morning journals are generally of the opining that the conservatives will settle all questions in relation to the ministry to-day. Disraeli Backs Out.

London, March 15, 3 p. m.—Disraeli has declined to accept office. He waited upon the Queen at Buckingham Palace this morning to announce his decision and explain to Her Majesty the reasons which impel him thereto. The Earl of Derby concurs with Disraeli in the conviction that the convertion conviction that the conservatives cannot accept the responsibility of forming a government at

An Office-Seekers' War in Florida. QUEER ACCOUNT OF THE LAKE CITY KUKLUX AFFAIR-DISAFFECTED ASPIRANTS FOR OF-FICE, FIRING INTO THE HOUSES OF THE OF-

NEW YORK, March 15.—A Savanzah dispatch says: "The disturbance reported from Lake City, Fla., was created by disaffected aspirants for official positions. The officeholders under the Reed wing of the republican party, failing to secure appointments under the Holt govern-ment, determined to kuklux the present appointees. The revolutionary party is supposed to be led by a man named Bush, a member of the legislature, and the present tax collector. They attacked the residences of Holt, probate judge; Waldron, clerk of the court; Moore, pestmaster, and Keene, assessor, firing volleys of not less than twenty or thirty shots each time. The occupants of the houses

NARROWLY ESCAPED WITH THEIR LIVES. Soon afterward the United States marshal arrived with a squad of militia from Jacksonville, and they arrested Bush and two brothers, named Seph, and three others, all of whom were conveyed to Jacksonville this morning. City, and search for others of the revolutionists is being actively prosecuted. It is supposed that the course of the United States marshal in taking direction of the proceedings from the hands of the late authorities is based upon the CONSPIRACY AND ASSAULT UPON THE POST-

A company of colored militia has been organized by the state authorities. They are armed with breech-loaders and drill daily. These troops are held in readiness for any future demonstration which may be attempted. It is generally believed that the affair will soon come to a focus, and the citizens are fearful

New York Notes.

NEW YORK, March 15 .- When the governor decision was first intimated to Foster yesterday he manifested no agitation, and remained silent. He said, however, that he did not credit the reports, as he had not then heard from his counsel, to whom the governor had written at the same time. The governor's notice to the sheriff was informal. The official papers will quarters the news caused great surprise, as it was thought the sentence would be commuted. The statement that money was used to influence Mrs. Putnam in writing her letter to the governor is now denied by the person with whom was reported to have originated.

AN ABROIT ROBBERT OF SILK. A few days since, a person representing him-self as the agent of a dry goods firm in Connec-ticut, hired rooms in the Offalt's building, Broadway and Worth street, and it was discovered shortly after his moving in that his furniture consisted of a most perfect set of burglars' implements, such as ladders, saws, &c. Before any suspicion was aroused, however, it was found that the adjoining premises had been

robbed of silks. AT A MEETING OF THE TANMANY SOCIETY last evening, about thirty new members were initiated, but they did not include any one of marked political prominence.

It is expected that the legislature will order an investigation into the quarantine management of this port, in reference to which enormous sums of money have been expended by the

by the bricklayers and hod-carriers. They have expressed themselves satisfied with their present

Dr Wm. A. Hammond reports as the result of his investigation that Blakeley, the alleged murderer of his niece, is sane. As to George Francis Train he thinks he is insane. Leahey, accused of wife murder, is thought to be per-

PUBLIC SENTIMENT IN FOSTER'S CASE.

As an indication of the public sentiment in the Foster case, the employes of a down-town company voted this morning, forty-six in favor of sustaining Gov. Dix's refusal to commute the sentence to sixteen against his decision.

SAW DUST SWINDLER DOING A BIG BUSINESS.

The bank book of Henry Menanger the sentence to sixteen against his decision. The bank book of Henry Menanger, the sawdust swindler, arrested yesterday, snows that he has done business amounting to \$1,000 per

THE BANK STATEMENT is as follows:—Loans, decrease, \$2,322,700; legal tenders, decrease, \$757,500; deposits, decrease, \$3,413,300; circulation, decrease, \$199,800; specie, decrease, \$202,900.

The Alabama Legislature.

THE \$2,000,000 BOND BILL.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., March 15.—During the progress of the debate in the house of representatives, L. E. Parsons, who was speaker of the court-room house, said the two million bond bill which was possed by that beds. bill, which was passed by that body, was void ab-inito, because it had never received the constitutional vote. Mr. Hunter, another member of that body, said the bill was passed by a house that had no quorum present, and that the sen-ate was not in session when it pretended to have passed that measure. The legislature has been in session four months, and there are no pros-

pects of adjournment before April.

THE CIVIL RIGHTS BILL.

in substance the same as Sumner's bill, was killed by the house by a majority of 19. The house is republican. IF E. SOLOMONS IS SPECIAL AGENT for this state, it has been kept a profound secret here; but his representation as to the intention of all Alabamians to the payment of just debts, are undeniably correct.

Incendiary Fire in Philadelphia. PHILADELPHIA, March 15.—The carpet sore of J. K. Stelhtow, on 2d street, two doors from the Commercial Exchange, is on fire, endangering that building. The house on fire is oupled by John Sidney Jones, who has been arrested on suspicion of setting the place on the Second Disputeb.

The firemen have obtained control of the dre, and the Commercial Exchange is no longer, and angered. The adjoining building is occur and by Tindale, stoves and heaters, who has his stock considerably damaged. The whole less is about \$100,000; insured mostly in oity offices.

Judicial Nominations by Gov. Strew.
Concord, N. H., March 15.—Governor Straw has nominated Hon. John Everett Sargent for Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court, made vacant by the death of Henry A. Bellows; and Ellery Hibbard of Laconia, the defeated candidate for Congress in the first district, to the bench vacated by Judge Sargent's promotion. St. Louis, March 15.—At Jefferson City, Westerday, Frank Hickok testified that Mr. Burger said he was willing to vote for an insurance bill if a hundred dollar bill was put where he could find it.

Loss by the Purkersburg Fire.
CINCINEATI, March 15.—The loss occasioned by the fire in Parkersburg, it is now thought, will not exceed \$50,000; the insurance is \$25,000.

Shocking Wife Murder.
PHILADELPHIA, March 15.—Charles Cloak
murdered his wife, Catharine, in the 29th ward

Speculations as to the Premiership. New York, March 15.—A London special

this morning, by striking her with an axe. He was arrested and committed to await the coroner's verdict. Cloak was arrested in the street, ner's verdict. Cloak was arrested in the street, while acting in a strange manner, by the police, who, at the time, had no knowledge of the murder. He now denies his guilt. He was formerly a machinist at Cramp's ship-yard, but being discharged because of dissipated habits, his wife, from fear of violence, slept last night in another room, with two adopted children and his grandmother. No one saw the blow inflicted, but subsequently one of the children woke up and saw Cloak standing by the bedside lamenting that some one had hurt Catherine. He left the house for the doctor, but did not return, The fatal blow was struck on the temple, shattering the skull. The axe was found in the tering the skull. The axe was found in the kitchen, covered with blood. They were fifty years old, and had no children. Boston Notes. Boston, March 15.—The superior court has declined to grant the motion for a new trial in the case of Mr. Jame McElhaney, under sent-ence of death for the murder of his wife, and his execution will take place here on the 21st instant, unless the Governor further reviews

THE WIDOWS AND ORPHANS OF THE PIREMEN killed by the Hanover street catastrophe have been provided for by the trustees of the firemen Pailure of a National Bank.

NEW YORK, March 15.—A special dispatch
from New Orleans dated March 14th, says "the from New Orleans dated March 14th, says "the Crescent City National Bank, circulating \$450,000, closed doors to-day. It loans and discounts on the 1st of February, 1872, were \$659,785.09, its capital stock \$500,000, and its circulation is said to be secured by United States bonds to the same amount as its capital stock. It is reported to be a bad failure, and the institution is in the hands of a receiver."

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Buffale, March 15.—Paul Fischer, a saloon keeper on Perry street, committed suicide last night, by blowing his brains out with a pistol, because his wife charged him with seducing their servant girl.

nstant, unless the Governor further reprieves

him, of which there is little prospect.

Boston, March 15.—The hearing in the case of the Eric railway company vs. William T. Hart et al., in the United States Circuit Court; has been concluded. The court reserved its

Death of Commodore Latimer. BALTINGER, March 15.—Commodore W. K. atimer, U. S. N., died this morning in this

STRANGE SUICIDE OF A BANK CASHIER-He Burns the Notes and Papers of the Bank, and then Blows his Brains Out. Thomas F. Anderson, cashier of Lamberton's bank, Franklin, Pa., one of the oldest cashiers in the oil regions, committed suicide yesterday. He opened the bank as usual and transacted business with several customers. Soon after he was noticed running in and out of the bank in a hurried manner, and then up the street toward his residence. Smoke was seen issuing from the bank, and per-sons who entered found the grate heaped with Efforts made to save the money were only partially successful. Anderson, when he reached home, handed his wife a letter, said he was about committing an awful act, and drew a pistol. She endeavored to take the weapon from him, but he rushed into the yard and fired, the ball entering the right temple. He died soon afterward. Anderson left several letters, but their contents are not divulged. A note left in the bank stated that he had destroyed all the special deposits and bills receivable, \$38,000 of which belonged to Mr. Lamberton, and consisted of government bonds. The amount ab-solutely destroyed is not yet known. It is stated that Anderson was carrying a large amount of overdrafts for the accommodation of his per-sonal friends, unauthorized by the bank; that the concern was soon to change hands, and he had been requested to have the books and ac-counts in complete order at a certain date, which would expose the irregularities. The bank loses heavily, but every confidence is felt

JAY GOULD'S BIOGRAPHY—TO ORDER.—Frederick Greer, who gets up books of biography, first contracting that the subjects of the sketches shall pay roundly for copies, has sued Jay Gould and George Crouch, complaining that they agreed with him to buy ten copies of his books at \$150 a copy, and that they had not paid him. The case came up before Judge Low in the common pleas special term, on a Loew in the common pleas special term, on motion by Jay Gould to amend his answer; hi first answer was a general denial. He states that he subsequently ascertained that he did order ten copies himself, and that Crouch subsequently arranged to take ten more copies for him without his knowledge; that when the claim was made on him he paid \$650 for thirteet copies as a compromise of the second claim. An affidavit was offered on behalf of Greer, denying any such compromise. This affidavit was sworn to in Washington, and Mr. Shearman objected to its being read at all, because it did not, as required by the statute in case of foreign affias required by the statute in case of foreign am-davits, state the age, occupation, and residence. He stated as a reason for taking this technical objection that they had not been able to find the residence of Mr. Greer, Mr. Greer's coun-sel mentioned his residence, but Mr. Shearman insisted that he should state it in his personal pledge. The counsel declined to do so, and Mr. Shearman pressed his objection. The matter was adjourned over to give opportunity to cor-rect the affidavit.—N. F. World, 14th, was adjourned over to give opportunity to cor-rect the affidavit.—N. F. World, 14th.

in its security.

tors of the estate of the late Thaddens Stevens have resolved to sell the "Caledonia Iron have resolved to sell the "Caledonia Iron Works," with about 16,000 acres of land, including ore mines belonging to the estate, situated ten miles east of Chambersburg, Franklin county, Pa., and for that purpose have placed the same in the hands of Mr. Simon Stevens. The proceeds of the sale, under the will of the "Old Commoner," in a certain event, are to be given "to erect, establish and endow a house of refuge in Lancaster, Pa., for the relief of homeless indigent orphans, who have lost either parent." Mr. Stevens' will provides that in this institution "no preference shall be shown on account of race or color in the admission and treatment — neither poor Germans, Irish or Mohamedans, nor any others, on account of their race or religion of their parents, must be excluded."

MEXICO WON'T BE BULLIED BY JOHN BULL The Mexican government has made an official answer to the British note making a demand for damages in consequence of raids by Mexi-cans on British Honduras, and says it will do everything in its power to prevent a repetition of these depredations, but refuses to entertain the proposition for damages. The government also hopes England will not carry out the threat in its note to invade the territory of Mexico should its demand not be conceded, and declares that the republic has always and declares that the republic has always observed its

CAPTAIN JACK PROBABLY ON THE WAR PATH AGAIN.—Nothing has been heard at Yreka yet from Captain Jack and the Modocs. The army has made no movement. It is thought at the front that Captain Jack has made efforts to form a coalition with other tribes, and there is danger of his being successful.

FOUND GUILTY.—Harrison P. Brown and Henry Williams, who attempted the robbery of the Corn Exchange Bank, were tried in court at Philadelphia yesterday and found guilty. A motion in arrest of judgment was made, and will be argued to-day. SHOT A WONAY DEAD.—Near Wilsonville, Monterey county, Cal., Matt. Parhey and Mrs. Sarah Nicholson disputed about the possession

the road Thursday night. A CARLIST CAPT. WIRTZ.—The cure of Santa Cruse, who leads a Carlist band, treats Spanish troops who fall into his hands with great cruelty. He recently flogged several primmers so severally that they died from the effect of the blows.

THERE CHILDREN RUN OVER.—At New Albany, Ky., Thursday evening, while some children were playing on a railroad track, a switch engine ran over three of them, horribly dismembering Franklin Scott, aged three years THE EPIZOOT has made its appearance in San Francisco and in Arizona. The mail coaches in Arizona are using Indian poules.

The Spanish Assembly has approved the bill granting amnesty to offenders against the laws and regulating the newspaper press in Forte Rico.

Frederick J. Smith, alias Meyer, has been indicted by the grand jury at Evansville, Ind., for the murder of a woman, whose headless remains were found in 1866.

Frapletons Journal says individuals are often moved by other impulses, but the great motive force of the bulk of mankind is to better their condition.

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STAt Gladadem, Ala., Mr. G. M. Crouch, hearing a noise in his hea-coop, and and brought down his no, who had also heard a noise and was looking for a thief. It is thought that young Crouch cannot recover.

BY F. M'NERBANY. Hall Erin!—pensive, lovely Isle.
Still bright in Song and Story—
The Land of Heroes, Scholars, Saints,

Entwin'd with ancient glary!
Lift up to day thy drouging head,
And touch the Harp e tatic.
To praise thy lustrous patron Saint,
The great Apostle Patrick!

ODE FOR ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

For he who blessed the green old Land The Cross, effolgent, rearing, Shed o'er the gloom of Pagan rites Religion's light so cheering; While with the Shamrock's triple leaf,

The Druid was confounded, And Erin-hailed the Triune God, By angel hosts surrounded!

Thence trace the pure and brilliant beam
That pierced the clouded Ages,
When Erin, from her seats of lore,
Sent forth her countless Sages;
When Genius, at her shrines, illumed
The torch of Faith and Learning.
And Priest and Luyman bore the flame,
With holy arder burning!

To-day, mid sparkling Wit and Song, Recall these glories shining. While with the Banner of the Green

Our Starry Flag is twining; For thus, in Battle's stormy night, The colors oft were blended, When Irish joined to Yankee pluck, Our noble came defended!

Recount the deeds of Erin's sons In ev'ry are and nation,
Whose genuis flashed from humble birth
To lofty fame and station!
Tell of her wondrous Orators And Poets, ever glowing Like stars in highest realms of thought

Whence streams of light are flowing! Tell of her mountains and her plains, With richest verdure teeming— Her limpid streams and placid lakes,

With mirror'd glories beaming!
Tell of her daughters, fair and chaste,
Her pride, her boast, her glory.
For Beauty's smile should e'er light up
Poor Erin's shadow'd story!

Tell of the Land of Washington, Whose Victories, resplendent, Proclaim how Irish soldiers help'd To make us independent; Tell how on crimson'd battle-fields
Their gen'rous blood was flowing.

And how on noblest monuments Their honored names are glowing VIII. Tell of Montgom'ry on the land, When Quebec hurl'd defiance;

And tell of Barry on the flood, In th' good old ship "Alliance!" Tell of the braves who sign'd and seal'd Our glorious Declaration, And tell, too, that an Irishman First read it to the nation!\* - \* These remarkable facts are worth being noted, viz :- That the Declaration Independence was first copied from the original

draft by an Irishman, (Charles Thompson, was secretary to the first Congress; that it was first read to the people from a window of Ind-pendence Hall, Philadelphia, by an Irishman. (Col. John Nixon,) and that it was first printed by an Irishman, (John Dunlap.) End of the Huston Case. EXPULSION OF THE ACCUSED MINISTER FROM THE CHURCH.

A telegram in yesterday's STAR briefly announced that the trial of Rev. Lorenzo Dow Huston by the committee of the Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, in session in Baltimore, upon a charge of immorality, culminated yesterday morning by his being reported guilty, and his expulsion from the Church. The charges against Dr. Huston were for the seduction of a Sunday-school scholar attending Trinity Church in and gross immoral conduct with other young girls. The committee appointed by the Conference a year since to investigate the charges was divided, but a majority found they were not sustained. The committee which reported yesterday was unanimous.

The New TESTIMONY IN THE CASE.
The Baltimore Sun says:- The investigation by the committee was thorough and complete, every opportunity being afforded for the development of the facts in the case. The record of the testimony taken before the preliminary committee was before the committee who convicted Dr. Huston, and in addition to that there were several witnesses of high character and respectability before them wholly disproving the most important points of the testimony for the defense, and others testified to facts strongly corroborating the truthfulness of the print cipal accusing witness. Among the new testi-mony was evidence disproving the alibi set up at the former examination by Dr. Huston in

THE SCENE IN CHURCH YESTERDAY.
The Baltimore papers thus describe the closing scene in Trinity Church yesterday: At quarter before 11 o'clock the committee appointed to try Rev. L. D. Huston came into conference, and its chairman, Rev. Dr. Regester, took his seat beside Bishop Dogget. The church was by this time densely crowded, and many remained standing in the aisles and in the door-ways. There was evidently great anxiety to learn the result. All waited in intense expectation.

expectation.

Bishop Doggett—Are the committee in the case of L. D. Huston ready to report? Dr. Regester-They are ready sir.
Bishop Dogget-Picase deliver over the
report to the Secretary, and let him communi-

committee to whom the case of Rev. L. D. Hus-ton was referred, beg leave to report, that after a careful examination of the evidence in said case, he has been found guilty of immorality, and said L. D. Huston has been expelled from the Church." the Church." The accused, through his counsel, Rev. S. S. Roszell, D. D., declared his intention of ap-

pealing to the general conference.

Bishop Doggett announced that, according to the decision of the committee, L. D. Huston was expelled. was expelled.

Rev. M. Rodgers, the presiding elder of the East Baltimore district, and the gentleman who presided over the committee who made the preliminary examination last year, arose and said he had received by mail from an unknown source, Dr. Huston's parchment as a deacon. It was ordered to be deposited among the Con-ference papers. [It is the duty of a minister to deliver up his parchment after being expelled.] The Bishop remarked that this concurrence in the action of the committee was somewhat premature, but thereby the end of this solemn question was reached.

question was reached. Hanging Not Played Out. THREE MURDERERS EXECUTED YESTERDAY-John A. Wright was hanged yesterday in Yuba City, Cal., for the murder of Edward

Yuba City, Cal., for the murder of Edward Frush.

George Driver, who killed his wife on the morning of the 13th of last November with a pistol borrowed from his son, was executed in the county jail in Chicago last evening.

John W. Osborne, the murderer of Mrs. Adelia Matthews, was hanged at Knoxville, Ill., yesterday. Previous to the execution he wrote out a full confession of his crime, in which he gave the following account of the manner in which it was done: Mrs. Matthews was engaged in getting him something to eat. She went down into the cellar for butter, and, he says, "I went down, talked with her a little while, and as she stooped I picked up a brick and struck her on the head, when she started to run, and I caught her by her dress, pulled her back and struck her again, when she fell. I then picked up a small board and struck her on the side of the head. She groaned and I thought it was done. I then went up stairs, and to make false motives, I rummaged the drawers and found the money, and thought I must take it to prevent the true motive being discovered. I put part of the money in each of the pockets of my pantaloons, and then thought I would go down and see if she was dead. I saw her eyes looking at me; I went up to her, and bending over her said, 'Adelia.' She raised her eyes and looked up. I said, 'Do you know me?' She made no reply. I asked her again and she said, 'I do.' I asked her who I was, and she said, 'I do.' I asked her who I was, and she said, 'I do.' I asked her who I was, and she said, 'I do.' I asked her who I was, and she said, 'I do.' I asked her who I was, and she said, 'I do.' I asked her who I was, and she said, 'I do.' I asked her who I was, and she said, 'Mr. Osborne,' and reached her hand to me and said, 'Why did you do this?' I dropped her hand and turned away, and looked at her again a moment later and felt that I would give worlds to have her well

and looked at her again a moment later and felt that I would give worlds to have her well again. I then took out my knife and cut her throat. She never moved or shuddered. I then went up stairs and left." He insisted that he was hired to do the murder.

Some excitement has been created in London among the San Demingo bondholders by the news of the course of Samana bay to an American company. It appears that in July, 1870, the San Domingo government had repudlated a loan which it had placed on the English market in 1860. This loan was secured by the proceeds of the phosphate guano of the Island of Alta. Vela, by a mortgage on the customs duties, amounting to \$400,000, by the receipts of a railroad to be constructed out of the loan, and by a mortgage of Samana bay and adjacent territory. These accurities were considered so favorable that the loan was nearly all subscribed for, when negotiations were broken off on the arrival of the acws that a revolution had broken out in San Domingo. The agents of San Domingo had, however, received on account \$250,000, and the holders of this loan, at a recent-public meeting held in London, passed resolutions safing the British government to enforce their rights. In regard to the sale of Sanmana bay to a New York company, it was stated that notice of the claims of the London bondholders had been given to the American purchasers, and that the matter in this respect would be satisfactorily arranged. JOHN BULL TROUBLED ABOUT SAMANA BAY.

For the Evening Sine